Olive View-UCLA Medical Center

RELIEF NURSE Mental Health Department (Psych. ER and Inpatient Psych.)

Position Summary: Seeking qualified Relief Nurses to work in the Psychiatric Emergency Room and psychiatric inpatient units.

Minimum Requirements:

- License to practice as a Registered Nurse issued by the California Board of Registered Nursing
- Certified American Heart Association Basic Life Support
- Reachable and current on the Relief Nurse certification list or currently hold the item of Relief Nurse

Responsibilities include but are not limited to:

- Provides all aspects of nursing care in an inpatient and/or outpatient setting
- Oversees nursing care provided by other lower level nursing team members
- Operates equipment to deliver patient care
- Administers medication and other appropriate treatments.
- Collaborates with other members of the healthcare team to deliver quality and safe patient care

Desirable Qualifications:

- Strong clinical/ assessment skills
- Strong written/ verbal communication and people skills
- Excellent problem solving skills and a high degree of initiative
- Demonstrates a professional and positive demeanor at all times
- Team player
- Strong organizational skills with the ability to prioritize
- Patient educator and advocate
- Ability to work with various levels of staff to coordinate and provide patient care
- Excellent critical thinking skills
- Flexible to work weekends, holidays, nights and evenings
- Flexible in adapting to various emergency situation and changes
- Previous experience in the Mental Health setting, preferred

Interested applicants, please submit a resume, letter of interest, 2 years performance evaluations and 2 years time records.

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